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Attorney Docket 040281/0118

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Hirotaka ISHII et al.

Title: FINGERPRINT IDENTIFICATION DEVICE EQUIPPED WITH A USER RECORDING DEVICE

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Examiner: S. Ahmed Allowed: June 6, 2005

Art Unit: 2623 Confirmation No. 8146

**STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW**

**Mail Stop ISSUE FEE**  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant has received a Notice of Allowance mailed on June 6, 2005, in the above-identified application. The Issue Fee is due September 6, 2005 and has not yet been paid.

Attached to a Supplemental Notice of Allowability mailed July 28, 2005, is an Interview Summary of an Examiner-Initiated Interview regarding a telephone conference between the examiner and applicant's representative on July 13, 2005. Applicant has one month from the mailing of the Interview Summary on July 28, 2005 to provide a formal written reply to include the substance of the interview. Thus, this Statement is timely filed.

In the interview, it was agreed that claims 1 and 10 would be amended as indicated in the examiner's amendment attached to the Supplemental Notice of Allowability mailed July 28, 2005.

**Should additional fees be necessary in connection with the filing of this paper, or if a petition for extension of time is required for timely acceptance of same, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account No. 19-0741 for any such fees; and applicants hereby petition for any needed extension of time.**

Respectfully submitted,

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